IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Homayoun H. ZADEH

Serial No: 10/817,506

Filed: April 1, 2004

For: GENERATION OF HUMAN REGULATORY

T CELLS BY BACTERIAL TOXINS FOR THE TREATMENT OF INFLAMMATORY

DISORDERS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

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Examiner: James S. Ketter

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time extending to August 21, 2007, the period for response to the Office Action dated February 21, 2007. Please charge the fee of \$510 for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. The responsive paper(s) are attached.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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